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#### JEWELL CASE IS CONTINUED.

Kansas City Court Lays Bribery Case Over Until Attorney General Crow Can Return.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 9.-Jesse Jewell State Senator from Kansas City, was called in the Criminal Court to-day for trial upon a charge of soliciting a bribe, Roland Hughes, Prosecuting Attorney.

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of the evidence and he wishes to be here to conduct the prosecution. I am to appear as his assistant. Attorney General Crow is in California and I have a telegram from his assistant in Jefferson City, which says: 'Crow wants Jewell case continued.' In view of these facts I shall ask that the case be continued.' Ralph Latshaw and Colonel Waters, attorneys for Mr. Jewell, who was in court, announced that they were ready for trial and they demanded a trial. They said that if Jewell were guilty he ought to be tried so that his punishment might begin; but if he were innocent he ought not to be kept in suspense with a criminal charge hanging over him.

Judge Wofford reset the case for trial March Is, saying: "Upon that date I will see that the trial begins."

BLAZE AT COFFEYBURG, MO. Whole Block of the Village Is Wiped Out.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL Gallatin, Mo., Feb. 9 .- Coffeyburg, in northern Daviess County, was fire-swept last night, one-half of a block of business ises being totally destroyed.

If were frame structures and the loss estimated at \$2.000, with no insurance, e hundred dollars' damage was done adiolning property. to adjoining property.

AGRICULTURE BOARD MEETS. First Annual Session Is Held at Guthrie, Ok.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Guthrie, Ok., Feb. 9.-The first annual meeting of the Oklahoma Board of Agri-culture is being held here, the exercises commencing at Convention Hall. Gov-ernor Ferguson delivered the address of welcome, followed by an address by Ew-ers White of Shawnee, president of the ers white of Shawnee, president of the board. J. W. Haskell, president of the Caddo County Farmers' Institute, also delivered an address.

The exercises to-morrow include addresses by Professor John Fields, director of the Oklahoma Experiment Station, Stillwater; Professor J. H. Connell, Dallas, Tex.; Professor F. W. Taylor, Chief of Department of Agriculture, Louisiana

Purchase Exposition, St. Louis; Doctor John Hamilton, Farmers' Institute spe-cialist of Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., and H. W. Smith of the Kansas State Board of Agriculture, Topeka.

OKLAHOMA JURIST IS TIRED OF BENCH IN HONOLULU.

Judge Galbraith Has Frequently Dissented From Colleagues, Once Severely Criticising Them.

Honolulu, Feb. 9 .- Clinton A. Galbraith. Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the Territory, has announced his in-tention of retiring from office at the exsaid to the court;

This proceeding was instituted by Atturn to Oklahoma, where he formerly was Attorney General.

Justice Galbraith was the author of many dissenting opinions, and recently caused quite a sensation in legal circles by his severe criticism of the attitude of his colleagues, Chief Justice Frear and Justice Perry, in the disbarment cases, which came before the court, declaring that both of the Judges were disqualified to hear them. Justice Galbraith dissented from the majority of the opinions of the

court in all of these cases. The coming trial of Attorney George A. Davis before United States District Judge Dole is regarded here as a review of the action of the Supreme Court, and the de-cision probably will affect several reap-

The Star says that Justice Galbraith's inharmonious relations with his associates on the bench, causing dissatisfaction with his position, is the cause of his retirement.

Church Anniversary Celebrated.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Litchfield, Ill., Feb. 9.—The forty-eighth anniversary of the dedication of the First Presbyterian Church of this city was celebrated to-day. Several former pastors of the church participated in the programme. The Reverend Frank W. Miller of Pana delivered the principal address, and a bas-ket dinner was served.

Copponharger Dies of Burns. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Ardmore, I. T., Feb. 9.-William Copponbarger of Tussey, who was seriously burned last week in carrying his wife and child from their burning home, died yesterday as a result of the burns which he received. His wife and child were so badly burned that they died within a few hours after being carried from the building.

Horse Show Monthly Sued.
The Horse Show Monthly Publishing Company, G. Lacy Crawford and Ralph H. Orthwein, are defendants in a suit filed in the Circuit Court yesterday by the Woodward & Tiernan Printing Company, on an alleged debt of \$3,113.46.

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#### MISSOURI FIRE INSURANCE BUSINESS FOR 1903; EXHIBIT COMPILED FROM OFFICIAL SOURCES.

Loss Ratio for Year Shows Well as Compared With Previous Year-Effect of a Single Fire.

The following exhibit is compiled from he statements of the fire insurance com panies filed with the Honorable R. G Yates, Superintendent of Insurance. shows business done during 1903 by fire in surance companies in Missouri. The exhibit is complete, with the exception that in one or two cases the companies failed to send their losses separated by cities, and the aggregate total is given. The figures show the transactions of all classes of fire insurance companies, except town utual companies, which are not included. It will be observed that the loss ratio Missouri is 52 per cent of the premiums received for all classes of companies combined, as against 54 per cent last year. The loss ratio of fire insurance companies of foreign companies doing business in Missouri is 59 per cent, while that of the United States companies is only 49 per ent. St. Louis is to be congratulated or the splendid showing made by the city during 1908, as shown by its light loss ratio of 30 per cent, as compared with last year's ratio of 52 per cent. The large loss on the Hammend Packing Company's plant at St. Joseph, which burned last year, covered by insurance aggregating over \$1,000,000, had a very material effect over \$1,000,000, had a very material effect in increasing the loss ratio for the entire State, and, eliminating that loss, the city of St. Joseph and the entire State shows one of the best years for fire insurance companies in the history of the State. Both the amount of insurance written and the premiums received by the companies show a marked increase, while the loss ratio is 2 per cent lighter than last year (1902). The State of Missouri will receive about \$135,000 tax on premiums received by the fire companies in Missouri for the year 190.

The following table shows the companies in Missouri for the year 1963.

The following table shows the amount of fire, tornado, marine and inland insurance written in Missouri in 1963 by the different classes of insurance companies:

1	Missouri companies (stock)   \$24,436,944   Missouri companies (mutual)   12,576,691   Other States mutual companies   5,723,282   United States fire companies   49,729,183   Foreign fire companies   112,566,215	Tornado. \$ 2,005,408	and Inland. \$ 25,179
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n	Totals  Same totals last year  The exhibit shows total premiums received in Missouri town mutual companies (not included), to have been \$5.92.95 the companies for the year, \$5.571.525.68. The following tal and losses in the cities of \$1. Louis, Kansas City and \$1. classes of companies during 193:	\$25.381.907 22.326.518 with the exc 0.07. Losses in le shows the Joseph by the	\$7,253,998 8,180,281 seption of curred by premiums different
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e e	Totals	\$1,240,587.97 1,521,905.28	30 52
n i. o	Missouri companies (stock) received. Missouri companies (mutual) \$ 19,987.95 Other States companies (mutual) 2,583.88	Losses incurred. \$ 16,246.52 8,061.82 455,730.37 273,509.77	Ratio, per cent. 80 356 62
r. s n	Totals last year (1962)	\$ 753,568.48 454,494.68	76 48
r n	Premiums received.		Ratio, per cent.
t	Other States companies (stock) 196,367,46 Foreign companies 67,147.28	251,493.36 130,115.96	178 196
s	Totals 3 367,819.25 Totals last year (1902)	\$ 497,482.54 127,197.74	155
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Company. Aachen and Munich Fire, Germany	Premiums.	1000	Premiums. 14,632.60	Losses. \$2,333.61	Premiums. \$1,199.93		Premiums. \$25,619.71	Losses. Per cent.
Aetna, Connecticut Agricultural, New York	36,990.90 44,892.90 1,868.03	13.740.27	12,877,63	8,224.09 6,132.68	3,148.13	1,177,73	130,117,40 70,544,31	55,862,39 42 22,833.00 47
American Massachusetts American New Jersey	11,584.91 29,643.61 71,076.19	2,169,64 5,174,75 4,354,41 13,655,21	5,056.85 2,338.63 10,951.50	4,544.21 959.12 4,539.73	2,758,34 2,297,98 3,159,71	231.28 2,569.70 2,163.90	15,780,52 17,806,60 55,850,83	7,244,53 45 10,124,56 56 15,214,92 27
American Central, Missouri American Fire, Pennsylvania	71,076.19 10,789.12	£ 331.66	11,385,69 7,552,42	2,961.34 4,549.55	1,963,59 2,063.71	7,961.69 2,529.45	211,255.09 42,567,70 25,319,43	69,610.71 33 21,025.82 49
Anchor Fire, Ohio Assurance Co. of America, New York	9,350,20 16,099,80	5.500.88 9.702.06	2,332,65 1,735,52	5,475,10 9,171,35	955,00 253,98	1,946.66	14,987,00 21,593,00	11.923.15 79 18.873.41 87
Aachen and Munich Fire, Germany Aetna, Connecticut agricultural, New York Allemannia Fire, Pennsylvania American New Jersey American New Jersey American New Jersey American New Jersey American Pire, Pennsylvania IAmer, Guaranty Fund, Mutual, Missouri Anchor Fire, Ohio Assurance (b. of America, New York Atlas Assurance, England Boston, Massachusetts Brittish American, New York Brittish America Assurance, Canada, Butfalo Commercial, New York Buffalo German, New York Citizens, Missouri	. 16,614.33 3,524.57	7, 133, 29 638, 97	4,409.75	3,462.68	2,045.95	6,678.11	27,643,28 6,829,59 8,654,32	21,545,79 70 1,364,35 19 4,040,15 59
British America Assurance, Canada Buffalo Commercial, New York	24.114.12 11.294.69	15,994.06 2,341.43	6.379.96 8,433.23	514.85 6,143.45	1,439.26 1,475.54 2,295.34	9,170,40 1,755,49	22,148,49	28,087,43 75 11,048,95 59
Culizens, Missouri Colonial Assurance, New York	67.741.27 18.150.61	47,811.85	6,511.94 1,976.98	10,820,30 4,938,89 1,433,15	1,034.38 895.45	3,337.06 3,752.96 1,588.94	40,956,09 162,254,67 27,329,35	21,166,92 51 69,099,49 67 9,096,59 41
Buffalo German, New York Citizens, Missouri Colonial Assurance, New York Commerce, New York Commercial Union Assurance, England Commonwealth, New York Concordia, Wisconsin Colonial Wisconsin Colonial Common New Jersey Connecticut Fire, Connecticut Continental, New York Dalaware, Pennsylvania Detroit Fire and Marine, Michigan, Eastern Fire, New Jersey Equitable Fire and Marine, Rhode Island Farmers Fire, Pennsylvania	. 6,238,39 31,594,87 23,851,96	1,218,10 11,422,71 6,267,79	4,920.59 21,528.65 5,810.87	1.433.15 2.257.78 13.738.67 1.665.62	2,108.22 3,508.23	1,754.24 723.84	13,287,20 65,111,48 29,974,28	5,240,22 26 21,245,82 44 7,275,41 24
Concordia, Wisconsin Columbia, New Jersey	4,369,20 70,989,50	159.13	11,896,40	7,996.16	2.262.01	615.79	2,756,52	22,689,66 43 1,442,50 69
Continental New York  Palaware Pennsylvania	65,473.18 25,677.19	39,454,00 12,643,10 9,760,11	14,408.23 22,215.10 4,568.70	5,746.00 5,425.95 2,851.33	5,438.00 4.374.51 2,977.68	9,060,00 5,874.31 150.07	222,330,144 277,625,62 50,175,17	115,533.69 51 121,154,72 44 17,850,53 35
Detroit Fire and Marine, Michigan Eastern Fire, New Jersey	No bt	2,555 58 281ness in 19 2,850 02	3,919.00	238.96	1,434.15	1,529,43 6,966,78	15,420.05	4,323.84 .63
Equitable Fire and Marine, Hnode Island Farmers' Fire, Pennsylvania Federal, New Jersey Fire Association, Pennsylvania Firemens' Maryland Firemens' New Jersey Firemens' New Jersey Firemens' Fund Callifornia Francis Our Control Philadelphia, Fa Panhakim Murual, Missouri German, Illinois	3,816.65	6 61	4,073.78	1,916.40	1,623.18	1,281.02	24.728.50 11.464.34 4.289.38	11.809.67 47 4,466.38 38 6.61 60
Fire Association, Pennsylvania Firemens' Maryland	31,318,46 17,294,17 34,817,97	22,756,16 6,426,04 8,479,93	9,946.59 9,884.47 14,414.06	9,766,36 7,466,58 6,868,61	2,819,23 2,765,35 5,213,07	5,940.81 5,676.33	73,684,29 24,449,96 60,682,30	66,514,97 90 22,264,42 65
Firemens' Fund, California Fire Ins. Co., County of Philadelphia, Pa	8,761.21	8,478,98 11,557,78 927,61	8,545,87	1,405.11	2,692.14	2,813,57	8,761.21	18,743 12 26 927.61 10
Franklin Fire, Pennsylvania Pranklin Mutual, Missouri German, Illinois German Alliance, New York German Alliance, New York German American, New York German Fire, Pennsylvania German Fire, New York German Fire, New York Germania Fire, New York Girard Fire and Marine, Pennsylvania. Gens Falls, New York Hamburg-Hremen Fire, Germany Hamburg-Hremen Fire, Germany Hamburg-Hremen Fire, Germany Hamburg-Hremen Fire, Germany Home Fire and Marine, California. Home Fire and Marine, California. Hermann Motual, Missouri, Indemnity Fire, New York Hermann Motual, Missouri, Indemnity Fire, New York Jefferson Mutual Fire, Missouri, Iowa, State Mutual, Iowa, Kings County Fire, New York Jefferson Mutual Fire, Missouri Laclede Mut, Fire and Marine, Missouri Laclede, London and Globe, New York London Assurance, England	20,922.94 17,266.42	26.22 11.209.67 10.564.29	22,659 45	3,178.45	6,721.75	8,112.21	21,779.89 111,751.37	4.370.33 24 31.200.87 61 57.961.61 51 26.752.74 65
German Alliance, New York	17,564,10 75,279,60	7,706_17 26,472.63	12,942.48	6,476,34	1,549,75 4,619,74 2,905,31	3,816,84 8,827,94 3,623,45	171.342.35	26,752,74 66 80,445,92 47
German Fire, Pennsylvania German Mutual, Missouri Germania Fire, New York	14,074,21 17,712,97	3,193,86 6,353,34	10,853.99	8,162,13 3,742,38	3,928,46	4.554.50	24,711,88 14,074,21 67,009,53 17,983,74	26,752,74 65 89,445,92 47 17,236,54 71 3,103,86 22 31,812,84 47 8,015,61 45 21,104,52 52
Girard Fire and Marine, Pennsylvania Giens Falls, New York	10,451,53 9,982,43	1,028.48 4,747.14	4,698.28 7,574.50 7,923.70	4,816,90 3,692,77 8,396,73	1,446,21 956,85 1,177,00	206.66 191.69 7.33	17,983.74 41,999.14 54,691.86	
Hamburg-Bremen Fire, Germany Hanover Fire, New York	21.946.19 45,885.35	8,665,50 14,437,74 25,531,26	13,248,65	10,396,15	7,410,83 2,770,63	3,173.85 12,300.97	50,009.45 17,282.67	35,701.84 71 50,200.75 64
Hartford Fire, Connecticut Home, New York Home, Fire and Marine, California	736,854,91 119,788,21 26,762,33	46,287,29 - 57,859,46 6,576,69	32,082.68 75,412.19 5,859.55	21.345.32 5.000.64 5.645.56	10,026,80 5,065,89 1,388,02	29,134,31 40,185,62 3,343,99	338,135,10 370,269,79 37,504,64	197,469.35 58 232,683,34 63
Hermann Mutual, Missouri Indemnity Fire, New York	No ne 2,535.59	w business	in 1963. 2,451.98	1,584,64	588.79	4.517.65	9,719,83	8.314.58 56
Individual Fire Underwriters, Missouri Ins. Co. of North America, Pennsylvania. Iowa State Mutual Iowa	66,488.58	4.270.75 42,226.10	290.75 17.742.50 58.34	6.737.45 6.715.70	5,004.86 126.50	19,596,29 1,623,34	11,237,67 110,168,83 192,280,39	12,698.74 167 112,271.90 79 49,926.44 48
Kings County Fire, New York	27.060.04	6,644,54 6,325,65	*******	2.11222	2	*******	4,502,34	585.12 13 6.644 51 28
Lafayette Fire, New York. Liverpool, Lordon and Globe, England.	5,624.07 150,719.63	4,533.60 50,566.82	2.924.88 14,630.27	1,500.00	6,668,23	11.945.96	8,869,46 8,876,23 219,166,34	6,328.65 71 7,960.95 89 91,874.68 41
Liverpool, London and Globe, New York London Assurance, England	25,665.04 25,644.65	5,497,29 10,158,19 12,122,08	691.13 2,930.15 11,933.63	2,621,44 8,432,35	1,421.20 1,946.46	4,258,99 115,10	9,244.81 37.054.05 52,730.80	6,471.00 57 18,899.83 51
Lumbermens', Pennsylvania Manchester Assurance, England	17,631.14	14,511.45	5,250.09 7,138.82	2,709.02 6,551.09	1.165.01 2.220.67	5,694.77	16,148.18 43,065.66	31,116,23 5+ 4,175:50 41 34,434.93 79
Liverpool, London and Globe, New York London Assurance, England London and Lancashire Fire, England London and Lancashire Fire, England London and Lancashire Fire, England London and Fire, England London and Fire, England Mannheiser Assurance, England Mannheiser, Germany Mechanics Pennsylvania Mechanics Pennsylvania Merhanic Proposition Mercantile Fire and Marine, Mass. Metropolitan Fire, Illinois Michigan Fire and Marine, Michigan Michigan Fire and Marine, Michigan Millers' Mutual Fire, Alton, Ill. Mill Owners' Mutual Fire, Illa Mill Owners' Mutual Fire, Iowa Milwaukee Fire, Wisconsin Milwaukee Mechanics' Wisconsin	13,231.33 3,968.00	2.126.19	6,104.51	2,524,58	1,485,22	10.57	25,405,87 3,988,09	6,435,37 55
Merchanta', Missouri Mercantile Fire and Marine, Mass	8,047.61 16,651.35 170.30	1,714.83	1,699.67 4,273.33	1,688.84	317.67 726.55	4.077.83	16,568,63 24,726,95	3,334.69 29 12,076.98 69
Metropolitan Fire, Illinois	6,488.06 2,909.58	1,574.59	6,700,90 1,182,35	3,681.25	1,147,12 296,61	4,029,69 3,135,32	170.30 14.336.08 12.409.67	9.685.24 87 15.571.12 124
Millers' National, Illinois Millers' Mutual Fire, Alton, Ill	9,357.74 845.99 985.10	1,150, 90 2,164,73	3,289.81 967.55 355,64	13,071.65 4,307.40	1,025,40 187,50 230,81	*******	42,611.00 9,724.85	32,563,32 71 5,221,92 85
Milwaukee Fire, Wisconsin Milwaukee Mechanics Wisconsin	6,658.48 20,594.76	6,012.68 8,223.67	2,775.54 9,707.30	2,298.81 10,255.55	1,248,54 3,741,20	292.98 2.344.14	12,988,92 16,150,58 70,128,24	9,124,84 56 38,515,75 55
Missouri State Mutual F. & M., Missouri Nassau Fire, New York	9.422.49 132,553.75	2,955.71 974.36 43,723.31	614.73	39,926.21	1,709.27 9,786.60	1,575.60 12,595.17	12.452.15 12.280.19 282.049.66	2,935.71 <2 2,549.36 ±6
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Newark Fire, New Jersey, New Hampshire Fire, New Hampshire.	6,118.65 13,210.50 11.871.52	6,539,55 5,171,35	2,636,11 18,687,26 3,985,83	2.526.58 2.122.67 10.957.03 1.053.90	1,195,67 2,532,00 1,622,29	1.304.37 153.27 2.758.87 3.796.22	18,939, 85 10,794, 23 46,627, 11 17,675, 47 90,372,52	5,378.95 49 29,199.57 43
Niagara Fire, New York North British and Mercantile, England.	23,407.61 61,587.33	10,013,06 23,250,66	3,985,83 7,109,10 11,341,37 1,374,24	3,268,52 17,102.56	1,629,21 6,172,65 546,79	4,588,11	101,204,31	31,384,82 29 76,848,12 71
North British and Mercapille. New York North German Fire, New York Northern, New York	5,017.52 512.60	7.50	15.50	*******	162 25	*******	7.307.09 25.067.89 1.968.92	18,796,91 75 21,97 ,912
National Union Fire, Pennsylvania, Newark Fire, New Jersey, New Hampshire Fire, New Hampshire, New York, New York, Niagara Fire, New York, Niagara Fire, New York, Niagara Fire, New York, North British and Mercantile, England, North British and Mercantile, England, North Grman Fire, New York, Northern, New York, Northern, Assurance, England, Norther Assurance, England, Norther Hiver, New York, Northwestern National, Wisconsin, Norwich Union, England, Orlent, Connecticut	88,269,69 17,638,28 19,530,79	26.802.45 6.575.71	17.764.49	10,109,49 2,528,78 7,262,07 3,195,14	6,353,54 3,109,21 3,432,32	4,054.01	135,828,42 22,892,63 77,965,38	50,609.82 36 13,997.68 61
Northwestern National, Wisconsin Norwich Union, England Orient, Connecticut	35,814.44 31,429.31	5,112 52 5,651 # 13,626 #	14,568.83 7,165,40 14,815.33	17 389 16	2,664.14 2,657.98	955,98 7,377,56 67,15	40,999.31	28.928.67 27 20.154.55 49 23.694.49 52
Palatine, England Pellean Assurance, New York Pennsylvania Fire, Pennsylvania Phenix, New York	17,274.99 66,340.58	3,903.21 14,225.07	5,752.80 4,611.95 11.825.63	4,600.94 942.32 6,922.70	1.360.83 2.66.90	4.021.03	62,485,83 27,749,84 5,671,67 90,529,03	14,194,53 51 942,39 16
Phonix, New York	46.368.32 45.162.18	26,788,69 10,520,78	15,221,97	8,360,30 4,540,35	6,984,68	3 755 67	177,359,92	35,115,48 28 93,272,69 50 45,425,23 35,18
Phoenix, Connecticut Phoenix Assurance, England Providence-Washington, Rhode Island Prussian National, Germany	28,330,29 18,039,34	49,948,71 17,386,97 4,625,85	12,050,83 8,541,90 11,982,77	91,530,24 2,888,54 7,922,15	2.881.21 2.079.78 2.947.28 6.053.77	10,512.08 6,259.97 1,123.75	44,575,40	176, 419, 68 85 27, 734, 45 62 14, 525, 58 28
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Rechance Marine, England Rochester German, New York	25,842.67 106,218.84	6,454.64 51,649.09	21,128,05	11,586,43 15,201,77	4,578.37 1,158.44 2,123.90	2,552,15 18,249,89	71,556.65 172,529,65	20,893.22 49
Royal, England Royal Exchange Assurance, England Scottish National of America, Illinois Scottish Union and National, England	29,784,23 2,250,35 24,541,06	8,180,79 261,82 14,721,57	6,502.93 369.13 9,085.19	5,963.33 6,925.94	2.859.52	4,001.53	39,874,66 2,819,48 41,146,98	26,640,05 66 201,82 07 26,877,65 65
Security, Connecticut Springfield Fire & Marine, Massachusetts	24,541,06 9,085,95 57,939,78	25, 156, 88	9,245,49	7,162,41	2,166,26	13,299,13	121.764.23	77,110,02 62
Security Connecticut Springfield Fire & Martine, Massachusetts Spring Garden, Pennsylvania Spring Garden, Pennsylvania Sun Insurance Office, England Sun Insurance Office, England State Fire, England State Fire, England	12,993.81 20,852.64 24,565.97	4,505.29 6,143.01 7,794.55	4,915.05 8,964.55	5,313.68 9,676.47	1.710.71 2.198.74 2.694.43	2,580,00 8,803,37 10,275,17	80,172,13 40,541,51 43,254,77	12,657,62 46 26,258,27 65 82,626,78 75
State Fire, England	4.666.19 13.251.19	971.40 5.075.58	2.757.67 4.851.67	4,125.75 5,189,81	565.85 1.690.80	33.49	8,297,18	5.518.06 65 13.411.35 55
Thuringia, Germany Traders', Illinois The Mutual Fire St. Charles Missouri	13,275.79 14,859.56	4.456.65 2,681 53	15.787.15 7.464.76	13,613.68 758.51	2.293.15 1.635.51	7,606,73	9,611,69 29,527,60 7,271,62 52,396,73	28,158,82 272 11,834,67 40 1,631,59 14
Inderwriters at American Lloyds, N. Y.	17.366.37 9.756.94 15.821.63	394.64 1.982.32 1.979.69	2,457,82 5,895,32 6,414,25		2,382,84 778,65 1,756,31	420,86 86,62 4,950.00	15:910:34	724.90 .03
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Williamsburg City Fire, New York	12,604,83	3,195.09	5,719.78	3,233.85	3.906.71 \$267.519.28	252.90	25,379.11	2,740.25 39

#### POLICE INVESTIGATING FIRE.

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Papers Saturated With Coal Oii Found in Mrs. Morgan's House.

The police are investigating the fire at the boarding-house of Mrs. Nellie Morgan. No. 3303 Pine street, which endangered the lives of Mrs. Morgan, her two children and several roomers, early yesterday morning.

Papers which had been saturated with coal oil are said to have been found in the house, and Mrs. Morgan is of the opinion that some enemy, knowing that the front door of the house was not kept locked, had entered and attempted to se fire to the place. Boarders extinguished the flames with a few buckets of water.

PANIC IN VANOL BUILDING. Small Fire Causes Stampede of

Employes in Banner Store. Fire in the Banner Dry Goods Com pany's store on the first floor of the Vanol building at Vandeventer avenue and Olive street yesterday morning created excite-

MISSOURI (Entire State, including cities Premiums. \$ 341,345,46 133,832,83 137,167,43

\$267,819.28 \$497,452.54 \$7,694,552.67 \$2,650,271.66 52 \$71,852.62 127,197.74 6,264.691.27 3,429,985.85 24

store stepping on a match, which was ig- | WILL NOT RETURN TO PANAMA nited and flew into a pile of filmsy dress

RECAPITULATION.

goods. burning dry goods and filled the entire building, a four-story fireproof structure owned by Daniel C. Nugent. The smoke larmed other occupants of the building and they hurriedly left their offices for

\$3,107,568,11 \$1,240,567,99, \$967,384,33 \$753,568,48 2,595,854,68 1,521,665,28 943,728,29 454,494,68

and they hurriedly left their offices for places of safety.

Mrs. Elizabeth Seidlitz, principal of a shorthand school, assisted several of her pupils to places of safety. Some made their way to the roof on account of the intense heat, which frightened them and caused them to believe that it would be impossible to get down by way of the elevators or stairs.

Four engine companies responded to the alarm and extinguished the blaze after damage estimated at \$100 to the stock and \$500 to the building had resulted.

To Mardi Gras Via M. & O. R. R. \$20 to New Orleans, \$17.10 to Mobile and return from St. Louis. Proportionately low rates from other points. Through sleepers and diners. St. Louis office, \$18 or the exits.

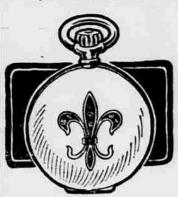
The fire was caused by an employe of the Olive street.

Minister Buchanan Says He Has Accomplished His Mission.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. New York, Feb. 9.-William I. Buch-anan, United States Minister to Panama, was a passenger on the steamship City of Washington, which arrived this morning from Colon. He announced on his arrival that he would probably not return to Panama as the representative of this country, as his mission had been accomplished. "Everything is quiet on the isthmus," said Mr. Buchanan. "The Constitution has gone to third reading and the people appear to be satisfied. One of the most difficult problems they faced was the separation of church and state, and this has been done in a way that is satisfactory to both sides."

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DIPLOMATIC AND CONSULAR BILL PASSED BY SENATE.

Speeches Against Administration's Course in Panama by Carmack and Overman-Cullom Defends.

Washington, Feb. 2.—The Senate to-day passed the diplomatic and consular approprintion bill without debate, and then re-newed consideration of the isthmian question. Mr. Fulton spoke in support of the crurse of the administration in connection with the Panama revolt, and Mr. Carmack and Mr. Ooverman in opposition thereto. Mr. Overman had not hitherto made his position on the treaty known, and his speech revealed the attitude of probably the last doubtful member of the Senate. The speech was Mr. Overman's maiden effort in the S-nate.

In the executive session of the Senate Serator Cullom, chairman of the Committee on Foreign Relations, who has charge of the Panama treaty, made a formal statement in explanation of its terms and in advocacy of its ratification. His speech was written and was a careful analysis of the different articles of the agreement. He expalined in some detail the points in which this treaty differs from the Hay-Herran treaty with Colombia, contending that the present agreement was far superior to the former one, in that it practically places the United States it absolute control of the canal and the canal strip. He said that there need be no fear of complications on account of claims that may be made by Colombia to an interest in the canal, the Panama Radirond or other property interests on the isthmus, because all these naturally pass to the new Government of Panama. HOUSE PROCEEDINGS.

Washington, Feb. 9.-The House devoted the entire session to-day to consideration of the resolution reported from Elections Committee No. 3 unseating Mr. Howell (Dem.) and declaring Mr. Connell (Rep.). who contested the election, to have been elected from the Tenth Pennsylvania District. By agreement, the vote will be taken at 3 p. m. to-morrow.

National Banks Approved.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL, Washington, Feb. 9.—The Comptroller of the Currency to-day approved an applica-tion to organize the Western National Bank of Fort Worth, Tex., with a capital stock of \$250,000. The signers of the applieation were W. H. Eddleman, Weather-

stock of \$2.5.00. In signers of the apparention were W. H. Eddleman, Weatherford, Tex.; Cicero Smith, George P. Levy, Harry W. Kuteman and Wiley Blair. A certificate was issued authorizing the First National Bank of Apache, Ok., to begin business, with a capital stock of \$25,000-W. T. Clark, president; James M. Bohart, Jr., cashier.

The designation of the following national banks as reserve agents was approved: Third National Bank of St. Louis for the Hannibal National Bank, Hannibal, Mo. National Bank of St. Joseph for the First National Bank, Hastings, Neb. Commercial National Bank, Kansas City, for the Alva National Bank, Childress, Tex. Gaston National Bank, Dallas, for the City National Bank, Corsicana, Tex. Texas National Bank, Dallas, for the First National Bank, Pallas, for the First National Bank, New Braunfels, Tex.

J. J. Butler Resumes Seat.

J. J. Butler Resumes Sent. REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Washington. Feb. 2.—Representative James J. Butler of St. Louis, after an absence of two months from the capital, today resumed his seat in the House.

Representative Crowley of Illinois resumed his seat after an absence of two weeks.

Rural Free Delivery.

Washington, Feb. 9.-The following rural wasnington, rec. 9—The following rural carriers have been appointed: Missouri-Glasgow, J. E. Miller, carrier; Roy Miller, substitute. Colecamo, Jacob Brunjes, carrier; Dick Brunjes, spisitiute. Kansas-Vassar, J. F. Schinddi, carrier; Fred Kersten, substitute.

Doctor &. D. Craig Appointed.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Washington, Feb. 9.—Doctor A. D. Cra'g has been appointed a pension examining surgeon at Buffalo, Mo.

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VICTORY FOR M. S. U. GIRLS.

Miss Mary Smith Elected President of Sophomore Class. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Columbia, Mo., Felf. 9.—The sophomore class of the academy department of Missouri University met this afternoon and elected the following officers: President. Miss Mary Smith; vice president, Miss Miss Mary Smith; vice president, Miss Maude Quayle; secretary, Miss Carrie Jesse; treasurer, Miss Clara Shelton; sergeant-at-arms. Arthur Stout; historian, Miss Neil Gordon.

The election marks the first victory of the girls in college politics, Miss Smith being the first girl in the history of the university to be elected president of a class organization.

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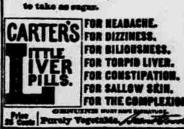
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